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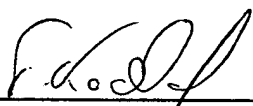
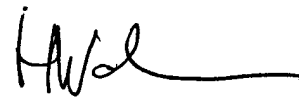
WHEREAS, **Clariant Finance (BVI) Limited**, a corporation organized under the laws of the British Virgin Islands, having a place of business at Citco Building, Wickhams Cay, P.O. Box 662, Road Town, Tortola, British Virgin Islands, is the owner of U.S. Patent Application No. 09/868871, filed on June 24, 1997; and

WHEREAS, **Ciba Specialty Chemicals Corporation**, a corporation organized under the laws of the state of New York, having a place of business at 540 White Plains Road, Tarrytown, NY 10591-9005, USA, desires an assignment of all rights to said U.S. Patent Application No. 09/868871, filed on June 24, 1997;

NOW THEREFORE, for valuable consideration received, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, **Clariant Finance (BVI) Limited** hereby assigns to **Ciba Specialty Chemicals Corporation** its entire right, title, and interest in and to said U.S. Patent Application No. 09/868871, filed on June 24, 1997.

This Assignment is executed in Muttenz, Switzerland,
on this 1st day of September, 2005.

Clariant Finance (BVI) Limited

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